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TAGS: PINS PO

SUBJ: TERRORISM AND SHIP ATTACKS

REF: DEPTTEL 051872

1. AS EMBASSY LISBON DOUBTLESS AWARE SS QUEEN ELIZABETH II SAILING FROM SOUTHAMPTON TO HAIFA CARRYING LARGE NUMBER AMERICAN PASSENGERS TRAVELLING TO ISRAEL FOR CELEBRATION 25 TH ANNIVERSARY ISRAELI INDEPENDENCE.

2. HEAVY SECURITY MEASURES HAVE BEEN TAKEN SO FAR WITH VESSEL BECAUSE OF INTELLIGENCE INDICATIONS OF PALESTINIAN TERRORIST INTENTIONS ( SEE REFTTEL).

3. PRESENT SCHEDULE FOR QE II CALLS FOR HER SAILING FROM SOUTHAMPTON APRIL 13 STOPPING AT LISBON APRIL 17 AND PROCEEDING FROM THERE TO ASHDOD ARRIVING APRIL 21 AND THENCE TO HAIFA APRIL 24. PASSENGERS WILL RETURN FROM ISRAEL BY  
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4. DEPT WOULD APPRECIATE LISBON' S CHECKING WITH APPROPRIATE  
BRITISH AND PORTUGUESE OFFICIALS FOR ASSURANCES THAT FULL  
SECURITY MEASURES WILL BE IN EFFECT DURING VESSEL' S STAY IN  
PORT. ROGERS

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